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WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 05-15

TO: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

FROM: John J. O'Hare, Administrator-Workforce Investment Office

SUBJECT: Allocation Percentages for Dislocated Worker Program for PY 2006

DATE: May 22, 2006

Section **133(b) (2) (B)** of the WIA requires the Governor to prescribe the formula to be used in issuing allocations to the substate grantees. In prescribing the formula, the Governor, utilizing the most appropriate information available, shall assign weights to a set of six formula factors. The weights the Governor has assigned to the formula factors for the Dislocated Worker allocations are as follows:

<u>FORMULA FACTOR</u>	<u>WEIGHT</u>
Insured Unemployment Data	20%
Unemployment Concentrations	23%
Plant Closings & Mass Layoff Data	13%
Declining Industries Data - Net	15%
Farmer-Rancher Economic Hardship Data	0%
Long-term Unemployment Data	29%

Greater Rhode Island 61.38%

Providence/Cranston 38.62%

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Enclosed is a Distribution Formula Worksheet that identifies the computational process used to arrive at the percentages. Data elements for each of the Formula Factors are not enclosed, but are available at the SWIO.

Allotments are once again taken from two Federal budgets. Funds for Dislocated Worker programs will be split into PY06/FY07. SWIO will provide you with those amounts via a separate Workforce Investment Notice (WIN).

Should you have any question concerning these allocations, please contact me at 462-8782 (johare@dlt.state.ri.us) or Bob Garofano at 462-8149 (bgarofano@dlt.state.ri.us).

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PY 2006 DISLOCATED WORKER DISTRIBUTION FORMULA			
CATEGORY	SUBSTATE AREA		STATE
	GRI	P/C	TOTAL
INSURED UNEMPLOYED			
December 2005	8,421	2,676	11,097
Percentage Share	0.758854	0.241146	1.00
PY 2006 Weight	0.20	0.20	0.20
Insured Unemployed Factor	0.151771	0.048229	0.20
UNEMPLOYMENT CONCENTRATIONS			
Annual Average Unemployment (Feb 05/ Jan 06)	21,470	7,189	28,659
Percentage Share	0.74915	0.25085	1.00
PY 2006 Weight	0.23	0.23	0.23
Unemployment Concentration Factor	0.172304	0.057696	0.23
PLANT CLOSINGS & MASS LAYOFFS			
1/1/05 to 12/31/05	1,224	764	1,988
Percentage Share	0.61569	0.38431	1.00
PY 2006 Weight	0.13	0.13	0.13
Plant Closings & Mass Layoff Factor	0.080004	0.049996	0.13
DECLINING INDUSTRIES - NET			
Net Decline 12/05-12/04	0	944	0
Percentage Share	0.0000	1.0000	1.00
PY 2006 Weight	0.15	0.15	0.15
Declining Industries Factor	0.0000	0.1500	0.15
FARMER RANCHER FACTOR			
	0	0	0
LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED DATA			
CY 2005	9,561	3,657	13,218
Percentage Share	0.723332	0.276668	1.00
PY 2006 Weight	0.29	0.29	0.29
Long-Term Unemployed Data	0.209766	0.080234	0.2900
SUMMARY			
Insured Unemployed Factor	0.151771	0.048229	0.2000
Unemployment Concentration Factor	0.172304	0.057696	0.2300
Plant Closings & Mass Layoff Factor	0.080004	0.049996	0.1300
Declining Industries Factor	0.0000	0.1500	0.1500
Long-Term Unemployed Data	0.209766	0.080234	0.2900
PY 2006 PERCENTAGE SHARE	0.6138	0.3862	1.0000

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